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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q58939

Kenichi NAKAMA, et al.

Appln. No. 09/529,990

Group Art Unit: 1762

Confirmation No.: 7259

Examiner: Alicia Ann Chevalier

Filed: April 24, 2000

For: **MULTILAYER-COATED SUBSTRATE AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of April 18, 2002 to Monday, August 19, 2002.

A check for the statutory fee of \$110.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

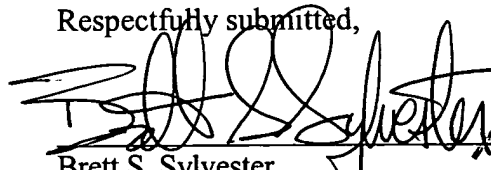
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